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**Comments:**

Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/888,734  
 For: DRIED BLOOD FACTOR COMPOSITION COMPRISING TREHALOSE  
 By: Bruce J. ROSEN  
 Our Reference: 55966-20001.01

Dear Examiner Davis:

Enclosed is an amendment to add the priority information per your telephone call of today.

Thank you for your assistance.

Best regards,

Kate Murashige

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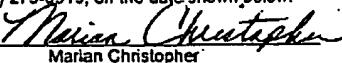
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to a telephone call from Examiner Ruth Davis on 29 November 2006, requesting priority information.

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